

THE FUTURE OF LAW SUMMIT PROGRAMME

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1.00 PM LUNCH

1.45PM **Case Study: The law firm without an office**

John Shingleton is the founder of Online Lawyers NZ, a firm which provides a cloud based interactive legal services with pre-agreed scoping of instructions, fixed prices agreements and online project status reports. John will share his experience, his vision of the future of the sector and will explore how each law firm can use technology to improve its performance and increase its profits.

John Shingleton, Founder, Online Lawyers NZ

2.15PM **Designing the New Zealand law firm of the future**

Diversity (across all dimensions), wellbeing and work-life balance are major trends which will need to be embraced in order to create a law firm which will attract and keep top talent. More importantly, the firms which adapt to these changes will be stronger, more profitable and better equipped to deal with the future environment.

Katie Carson, Partner & Board Member, Kensington Swan & Alexandra Kissling, Solicitor, Kensington Swan

2.55PM AFTERNOON TEA

3.15PM **Regulatory Insight: AML/CFT - Changes ahead**

The release of the Ministry of Justice's consultation paper on the AML/CFT Act 2009 confirms that phase two will bring lawyers (among others) into the compliance regime, including new obligations around risk assessments, staff training and vetting, documented compliance processes and transaction monitoring. Join our experts to discuss the practical consequences for lawyers, the likely implementation timetable and strategies to use AML/CFT compliance as an opportunity to manage reputational risks and to improve your law firm's efficiency and profitability.

Nathan Lynch, Head Regulatory Analyst Australia & New Zealand, Thomson Reuters Gary Hughes, Barrister & Lloyd Kavanagh, Partner & Board Member, Minter Ellison Rudd Watts

4.15PM **Leaders' Panel: Adjusting to the "new normal"**

The panel brings together legal leaders who will discuss the challenges and risks their firms are currently facing and what they think will be the next changes in the industry, how they are adapting their practice to the market to protect and attract more clients.

Katie Carson, Partner & Board Member, Kensington Swan, Victoria Stewart, Partner/CEO, Simmonds Stewart & Craig Columbus, CIO, Russell McVeagh

5.00PM END OF CONFERENCE

Who should attend:

- Managing Partners/Partners
- Practice Managers
- CEOs, COOs, CIOs
- Heads of IT
- Law Librarians
- Directors/MDs & Principals

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